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For : ~~COMPOSITION~~ COMPOSITION COMPRISING EXTRACTS OF FLOS
LONICERAE, FRUCTUS FORSYTHIZE AND RADIX
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO
THE OCTOBER 24, 2002 OFFICE ACTION

This Communication is submitted in response to the October 24, 2002 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the October 24, 2002 Office Action is due November 24, 2002. As November 24, 2002 falls on Sunday, the due date is November 25, 2002. Therefore, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the application as follows.

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 4 to 32, without prejudice. Please add the following new claims.

B1 -- 33. (New) A composition of claim 1 comprising of about 90-180 parts of extract of Flos Lonicerae and Fructus Forsythiae, about 10-60 parts of supercritical extract of Flos Lonicerae